BANGALORE CENTRAL JAIL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th October 1888.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received up to 1 P. M. on 1st December 1888 by the Superintendent of the Bangalore Central Jail, for the supply by contract of all articles of diet, &c., required for the use of the prisoners confined in the Bangalore Central Jail from 1st January 1889 to 31st December 1889, both days inclusive.

2. No tenders will be received after the date above mentioned.

3. Tenders to be superscribed "Tenders for the supply of provisions for the Central Jail."

4. No tenders will be received unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 500 in cash or currency notes.

5. Tenders will be opened by the Superintendent of the Bangalore Central Jail, at his office on the date above named, in the presence of such tenderers as may choose to attend.

6. All tenders must specify the rate at which the following articles can be supplied in pound weights per rupee of good quality:—

1. Rice, boiled and unboiled.
2. Ragi.
3. Dál.
4. Ballar.
5. Meat. (*without bones*)
6. Tyre.
7. Gingelly-oil.
8. Ghee.
9. Tamarind.
10. Salt.
11. Onions.
12. Garlic.
13. Curry-powder.
14. Vegetables.
15. Soji
16. Sugar.
17. Coffee.
18. Tea.
19. Bread.
20. Milk.
21. Soap-nut.
22. Marking-nut.
23. Firewood (dry).
24. Lamp-oil.
25. Kerosine-oil with tins.
26. Earthen plates, lotás, brooms and earthen chattis in different sizes.

7 The contractor will supply ragi grain to be ground by convicts, and it will be issued as flour. The supply will be calculated and payment made upon the quantity of flour so issued at the price of the ragi grain.

8. The Superintendent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for so doing.

9. The deposit of the successful competitor will be retained and will be forfeited if he fails to execute the contract bond, or to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 1,000 in cash or Government bonds within one week from the date of the acceptance of his contract being made known to him.

10. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor. Payments for the articles supplied will be made by the Superintendent of the Bangalore Central Jail, as soon as possible, after the 1st of each month.

11. A store-room will be made over to the contractor in which he can keep all non-perishable articles including rice and ragi of which not less than one month's supply must always be kept in store. Perishable articles, such as meat, vegetables &c., must be at the Jail by 8 A. M. daily.

12. The contract must not be sub-let.

13. A fine not exceeding Rs. 100 will be levied at the discretion of the Superintendent of the Central Jail for any infringement of the stipulation of the contract, or for the supply of any inferior articles, and, if frequently violated, the contract may be annulled, and the security confiscated to the Government.

14. The decision of the Superintendent of the Central Jail to be final in all questions of infringement of contract.

15. The contractor will be bound to purchase vegetables from the Jail garden for the use of the prisoners at the same rate as in the contract.

16. Any further information can be obtained by applying to the Superintendent's Office.

17. This contract will be subject to the confirmation of the Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore.

18. In case the contractor after taking the contract is not willing to carry out his agreement, he shall give at least one month's notice and shall forfeit the security money to Government. The contractor will also be bound to make good to Government any loss which may arise from his failure or by Government having to purchase the articles specified in the contract in the local markets at higher rates than those contracted for.

N. B.—No concessions of any description will be allowed in the above contract.

H. H. SPARKES,
Superintendent.